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DISCLOSURE POINT, Berlin, the following numbers of railroad  
 tank cars were available in East Germany from 3 through 16  
 February 1953:

| Date in<br>February | Numbers of Cars Used<br>Within<br>East Germany | Outside | Total |
|---------------------|--|---------|-------|
| 3                   | 2,342<br>(247)                                 | 587     | 2,929 |
| 4                   | 2,381<br>(250)                                 | 593     | 2,974 |
| 5                   | 2,157<br>(248)                                 | 583     | 2,740 |
| 6                   | 2,213<br>(250)                                 | 568     | 2,781 |
| 7                   | 2,229<br>(252)                                 | 597     | 2,826 |
| 8                   | Not reported                                   |         |       |
| 9                   | 2,191<br>(246)                                 | 582     | 2,773 |
| 10                  | 2,254<br>(248)                                 | 578     | 2,832 |
| 11                  | 2,213<br>(248)                                 | 599     | 2,812 |
| 12                  | 2,300<br>(248)                                 | 568     | 2,868 |
| 13                  | 2,265<br>(252)                                 | 573     | 2,838 |
| 14                  | 2,311<br>(252)                                 | 542     | 2,853 |
| 15                  | Not reported                                   |         |       |
| 16                  | 2,281<br>(263)                                 | 567     | 2,848 |

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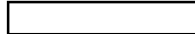
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
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 Comment. As compared with the last reported period the number of tank cars employed outside East Germany increased by about 10 percent while tank car traffic within East Germany decreased slightly.

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